

**2010 Senate Races September October**

**7 16 22 30 6 13 20 27**

Delaware Senate (Currently Democrat) Chris Coons (D) 52 54 56 55

<http://elections.nytimes.com/2010/senate/delaware> Christine O’Donnell (R) 45 43 42 43

Pennsylvania Senate (Currently Democrat) Joe Sestak (D) 53 53 52 52

<http://elections.nytimes.com/2010/senate/pennsylvania> Pat Toomey (R) 45 45 45 45

Connecticut Senate (Currently Democrat) Richard Blumenthal (D) 54 54 54 53

<http://elections.nytimes.com/2010/forecasts/senate/connecticut> Linda McMahon (R) 44 44 44 45

Florida Senate (Currently Republican) Marco Rubio (R) 40 42 42 43

<http://elections.nytimes.com/2010/forecasts/senate/florida> Charlie Crist (I) 38 35 34 33

Kendrick Meek (D) 22 24 24 24

Kentucky Senate (Currently Republican) Rand Paul (R) 52 53 53 52

<http://elections.nytimes.com/2010/forecasts/senate/kentucky> Jack Conway (D) 45 45 45 45

Nevada Senate (Currently Democrat) Harry Reid (D) \* 49 48 48 48

<http://elections.nytimes.com/2010/senate/nevada> Sharron Angle (R) 49 49 49 49

California Senate (Currently Democrat) Barbara Boxer (D) \* 49 49 51 51

<http://elections.nytimes.com/2010/forecasts/senate/california> Carly Fiorina (R) 48 48 47 46

Alaska Senate (Currently Republican) Lisa Murkowski (Write-in) \* - - 33 30

<http://elections.nytimes.com/2010/forecasts/senate/alaska> Joe Miller (R) - - 42 42

Scott McAdams (D) - - 25 27

**2010 Poll Averages**

**9/14 9/22 9/29 10/6 10/13 10/20 10/27**

Generic Congressional Ballot[[1]](#footnote-1) Republicans 48.1 45.7 46.5

RCP Average Democrats 40.3 42.7 42.5

Obama Job Approval[[2]](#footnote-2) Approve 46.6 45.4 45.0

RCP Average Disapprove 49.1 49.6 50.6

Direction of the Country[[3]](#footnote-3) Right Direction 29.3 34.0 33.6

RCP Average Wrong Direction 62.8 60.5 60.4



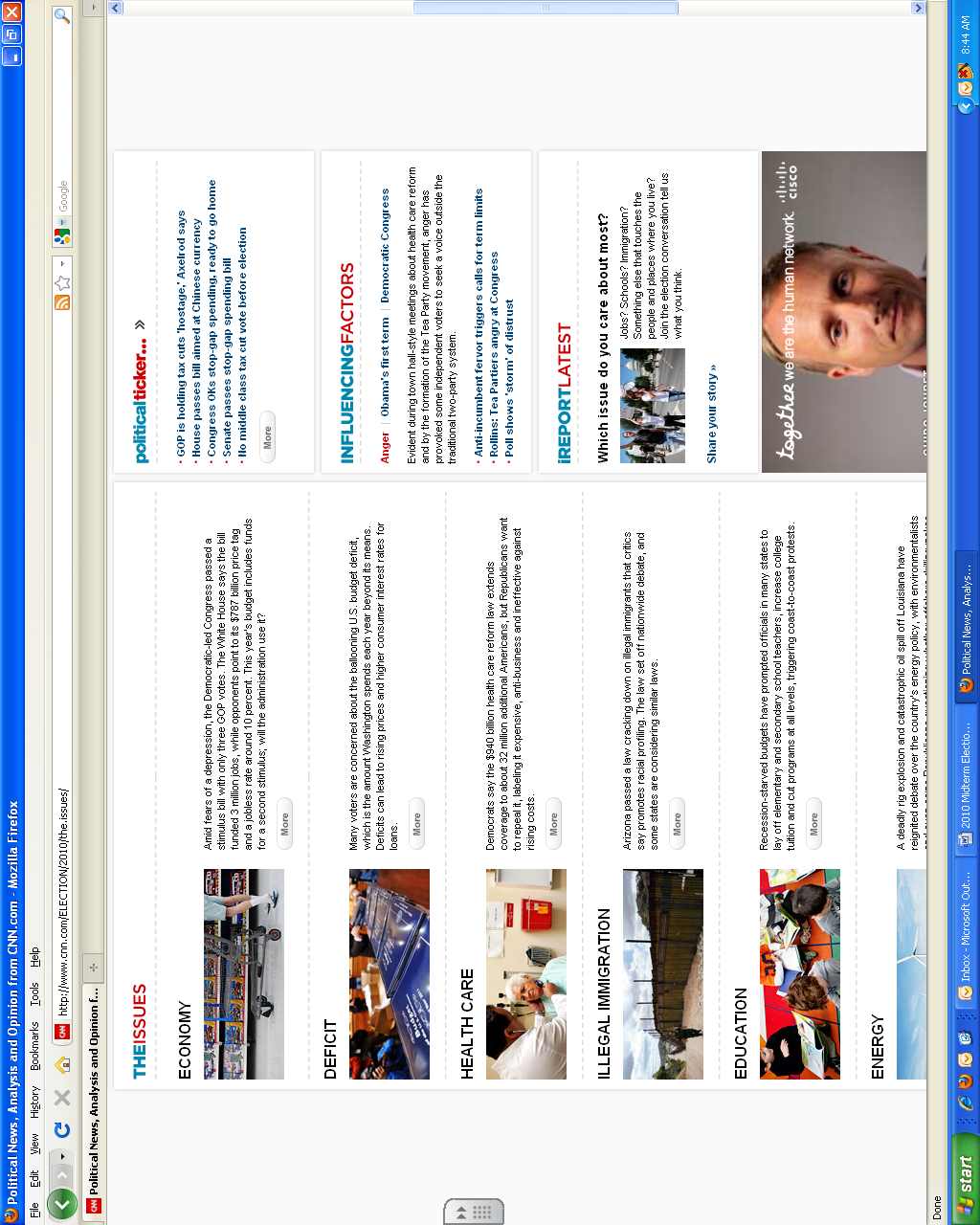
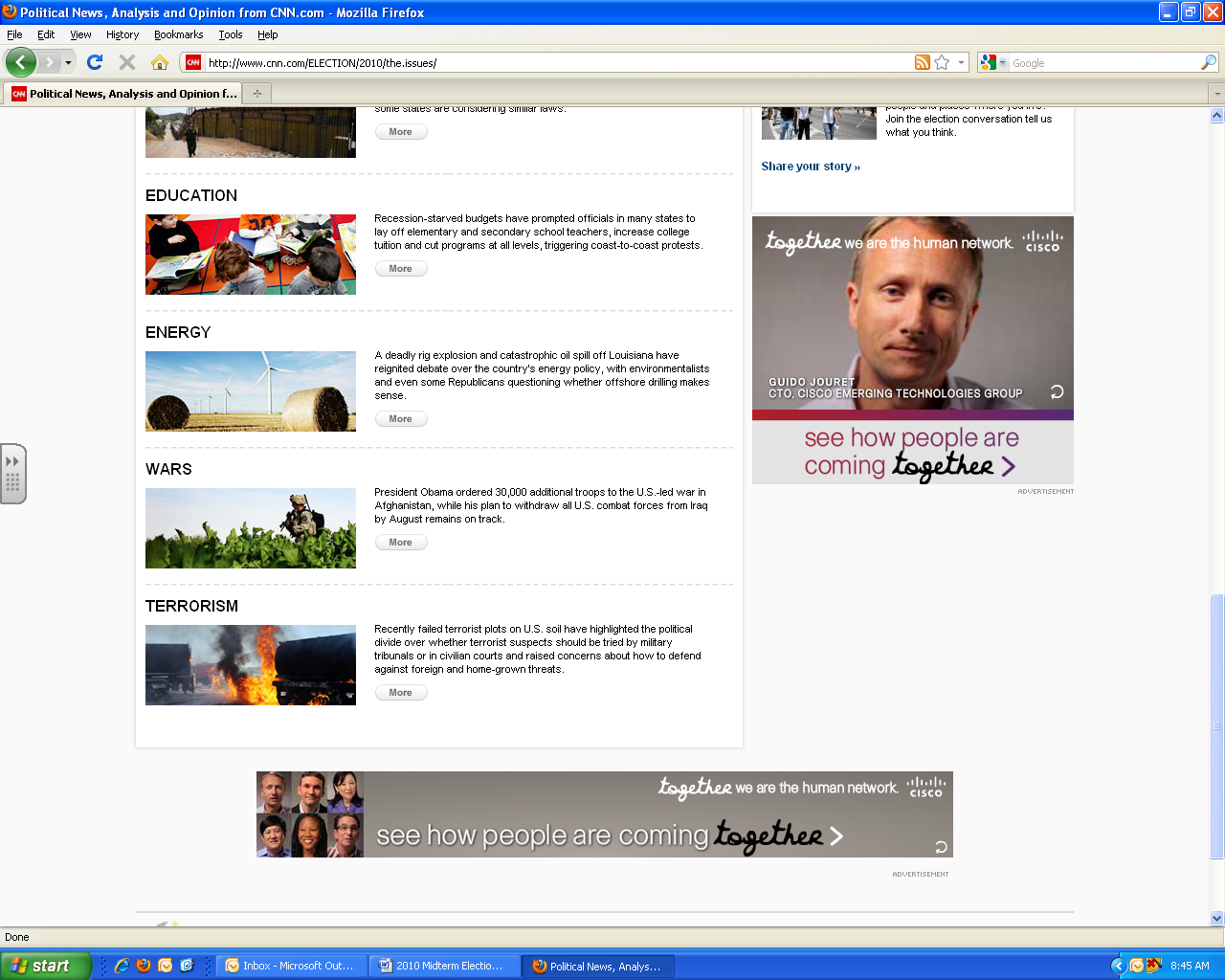
***Candidate Research:***

*Pick two of the Senate races from the front and give me a brief candidate position statement for EACH of the issues listed on this page.*

*Their positions can probably be found on/in…*

* *Candidate websites*
* *Campaign literature*
* *By contacting the campaigns*
* *Local newspapers*

Due (w/ polling numbers) on Monday, November 1st



1. <http://www.realclearpolitics.com/epolls/other/generic_congressional_vote-901.html> [↑](#footnote-ref-1)
2. <http://www.realclearpolitics.com/epolls/other/president_obama_job_approval-1044.html> [↑](#footnote-ref-2)
3. <http://www.realclearpolitics.com/epolls/other/direction_of_country-902.html> [↑](#footnote-ref-3)